

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

An oligophosphate of general formula

$$\begin{array}{c|c}
R^{3}q & R^{4}q & O \\
O & O & O \\
O & O & O \\
R^{3}q & R^{4}q & O \\
O & O & O \\
R^{5}q & O & O \\
R^{7}q & O & O \\
R$$

is disclosed. The oligophosphate is suitable as a flame retardant for thermoplastic molding compositions that exhibit a good flame-retardant effect, improved dimensional stability under the effect of heat, a good level of toughness and excellent flowability.